

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of Masaru YARITA

Docket No: Q78282

Appln. No.: 10/695,907

Group Art Unit: 3735

Confirmation No.: 5656

Examiner: Navin Natnithithadha

Filed: October 30, 2003

For:

SIGNAL PROCESSING METHOD, AND PULSE PHOTOMETER USING THE

METHOD

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 Sir:

This responds to the Restriction Requirement, dated June 9, 2006. In response to the Restriction Requirement, Applicant elects Group I, claims 1-3 for examination. This election is made without traverse.

Applicant reserves the right to file a Divisional Application directed to non-elected claims.

The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account.

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